Factors taken into Consideration in Preparing the Seniority List in the Reorganised State.

Q.—175 Sri N. HUCHMASTHY GOWDA (Huliyurdurga).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the factors that were taken into consideration with regard to integration of service personnel in the reorganised State, while determining the equation of posts ;

(*b*) the points taken into account while determining the relative seniority as between two persons holding posts declared equivalent to each other and drawn from different States ;

(*c*) whether they have prepared the Inter-State Seniority List of class I officers of the various departments ;

(*d*) the data they have collected for the preparation of this list;

(*e*) the factors that they propose to take into consideration while preparing this list ;

(*f*) the proposals of the Chief Secretary of the former Mysore in his memorandum regarding this point ?

A.—Sri S. NIJALINGAPPA (Chief Minister).—

(*a*) The following factors will be taken into consideration in determining the equation of posts :

(i) the nature and duties of a post ;

(ii) the responsibilities and powers exercised by the Officer holding a post ; the extent of territorial or other charge held or responsibilities discharged ;

(iii) the minimum qualifications, if any, prescribed for recruitment to the post ; and

(iv) the salary of the post.

(*b*) In determining relative seniority as between two persons holding posts declared equivalent to each other and drawn from different States, the following points will be taken into account ;

(i) Length of continuous service, whether temporary or permanent in a particular grade ; this should exclude periods for which an appointment is held in a purely stop-gap or fortuitous arrangement ;

(ii) As between two persons with equal service in equivalent posts, seniority will be determined on the basis of age, the older officer being declared senior.

(*c*) and (*d*) The data is being collected and list compiled.

(*e*) *Vide* replies to (*a*) and (*b*).

(*f*) The former Chief Secretary did not present any memorandum on this point.

Total Amount allotted for Works in Kollegal Taluk.

Q.—202. Sri S. C. VIRUPAKSHIAH (Kollegal).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

the total amount allotted for works in Kollegal Taluk during the Seconp Five-Year Plan ?

A.—Sri S. NIJALINGAPPA (Chief Minister).—

A total provision of Rs. 510-60 lakhs has been made in the Second Five-Year Plan in respect of the areas transferred from the former Madras State to the New Mysore State. Talukwise break-up of the provision is not available.

Construction of a Tank near Uluvinahalu.

Q.—220. Sri V. MASIYAPPA (Hiriyur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether the people of Madenapally and Seshappanahally have been representing to Government for constructing a tank for Irrigation near Uluvinahalu (Becharak) ;

(*b*) whether it has come to their notice that these villages are situated in a drought area ;

(*c*) whether any estimate for the same Project has been prepared by the Public Works Department ;

(*d*) the action taken for sanctioning it ?